

Amendment to the Specification

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 16, as follows:

The gas permeable region of the present invention is a region with an oxygen permeability of at least $0.1 \text{ mL} / \text{cm}^2 \text{ 24 hr atm}$. There is no particular limit on the area of the gas permeable region. However, from the point of view of supplying the cells with sufficient quantities of the oxygen they require, in sections where the device is in contact with the cell suspension, an overall oxygen permeability of at least $1 \text{ mL} / \text{cm}^2 \text{ 24 hr atm}$ is favorable, and $10 \text{ mL} / \text{cm}^2 \text{ 24 hr atm}$ especially favorable.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 18, line 23, as follows:

The cylindrical body 3 is formed with a leur (also referred to as a discharge part) 120 protruding from a disk shaped front section 110 at a front-end surface. Under normal conditions, a cap 60 (also referred to as a closing member) is fitted to the tip of the leur 120. The plunger 40 is inserted from the back-end 12 side of the syringe main body 2, thereby making the internal part of the syringe main body 2 liquid-tight. Note that the leur 120 may alternatively be sealed using a resin or the like, the seal to be broken when the device is used (at cell transplantation).